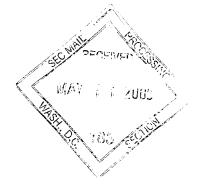




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Pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act, we enclose the attached releases by Singapore Telecommunications Limited to Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited and Australian Stock Exchange Limited for the period from 2 May 2005 to 6 May 2005.

Our SEC file number is 82-3622.

Yours faithfully

Lim Li Ching (Ms)

Assistant General Counsel

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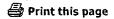
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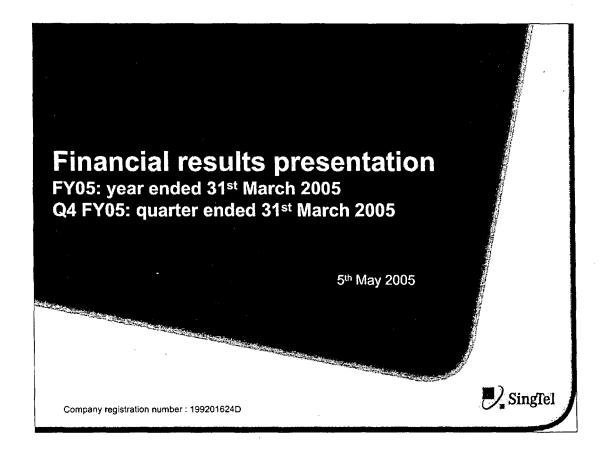
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- Full speaking notes version (for webcast recording).
- Selection of key slides to present for Investor Meetings & Roadshow

Group - slides 4,5,7

SingTel - slides 9, 10, 11

Optus - slides 16 - 21 (do OB/CMM quickly)

Associates - slide 23, 25

Cashflow & Balance sheet - slide 27, 29

Outlook - slide 31 - 35

Forward looking statements - important note

The following presentation contains forward looking statements by the management of Singapore Telecommunications Limited ("SingTel"), relating to financial trends for future periods, compared to the results for previous periods.

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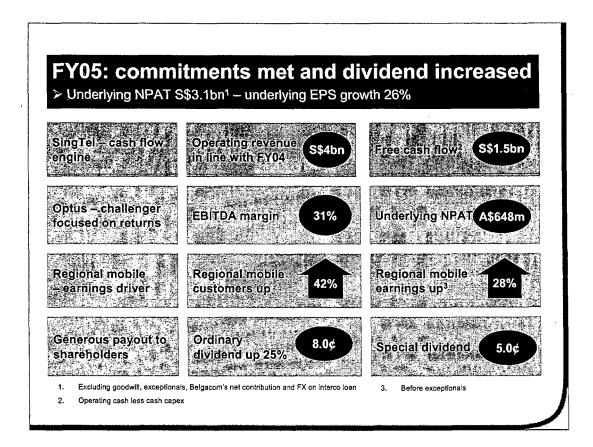
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- Thank you for joining us at this presentation of SingTel's results for the twelve months ended March 2005.
- I am delighted to report that our results for the year have generally met or exceeded –commitments we made to shareholders - twelve months ago.
- As a result we will be recommending a higher ordinary dividend as well as a substantial special dividend.

The presentation will also focus – on trends for the most recent quarter to
 March 2005 – and set targets for the new financial year ending March 2006.



- For the year ended March 2005 underlying NPAT was \$3.1bn.
- Underlying eps growth was 26% following completion of the capital reduction exercise

- In Singapore operating revenues for the twelve months were in line with the previous year
- Free cash flow remained strong at S\$1.5bn.

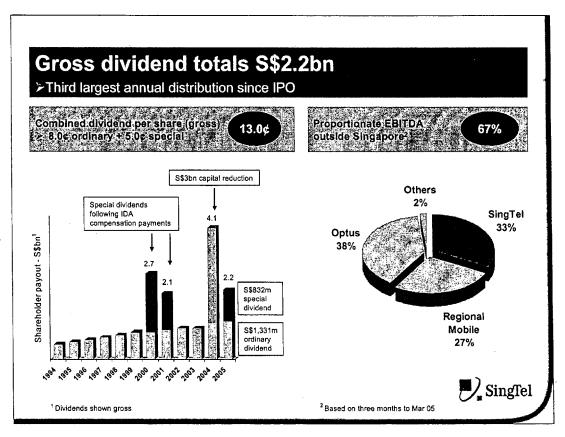
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- Over the past three years Optus has executed a dramatic turnaround.
- EBITDA margins have expanded to 31% and Optus has delivered underlying NPAT of A\$648m.
- It is now making a healthy contribution to group earnings and cash flows.

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- Regional mobile customers continued their rapid growth increasing by 42%
- Pre-tax earnings before exceptionals grew by 28%

- With strong profit and cash flow growth the Board will recommend an ordinary dividend of 8¢ per share – 25% higher than last year.
- This reflects strong earnings and cashflow growth and our confidence in the future.
- We will also be seeking approval for a special dividend of 5 cents per share



- The combined gross dividend totals S\$2.2bn or 13 cents per share
- This is our third largest annual distribution after returning to shareholders the proceeds of our Belgacom disposal in 2004 and regulatory compensation payments in 2000
- Based on our closing share price on Tuesday 3 May our dividend yield is 5%

- The ordinary dividend totals S\$1.3bn representing a 43% payout ratio on higher earnings
- The special dividend exceeds S\$800m and balances our desire for an efficient balance sheet
 with financial flexibility to make further investments
- These amounts are calculated on a gross basis including tax credits

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- The strong operating performance has been driven by international expansion.
- This pie chart shows that operations outside Singapore now contribute two-thirds of proportionate EBITDA.
- On a revenue basis over 70% was from outside Singapore.

Group FY05: underlying NPAT S\$3.1bn² – up 22%

> underlying EPS 18 cents² – up 26%

	'FY'05 (##	The state of the s	% increase/
Statutory results S\$m	FY U5	FY 04	(decrease)
Operating revenue	12,617	11,995	5%
Operational EBITDA	4,662	4,288	9%
Operational EBITDA margin	36.9%	35.7%	N/M
Associates - excluding Belgacom and El	1,252	974	29%
EBITDA1	6,259	5,745	9%
NPAT	3,268	4,485	(27%)
NPAT underlying²	3,060	2,517	22%
Earnings per share – underlying²	17.8 cents	14.1 cents	26%

Operational EBITDA+IDA compensation+share of results of associates



- Let's take a look at the results in more detail starting with the Group numbers for the financial year
 as a whole.
- Underlying earnings increased by 22%
- · Growth in underlying earnings per share was higher at 26%
- This reflects six month's impact of the capital reduction which cancelled one in fourteen shares.

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- Group revenue was up 5% and operational EBITDA was up 9%.
- · Associates earnings growth was 29% after adjusting for Belgacom and exceptionals

Note: Impact of FX on underlying earnings -FY05

- Impact of weaker Rupiah partly offset by stronger A\$ -net small negative impact.
- Based on constant FX rate underlying earnings growth would be 23% (instead of 22% based on actual FX rate)

NPAT Adjustments	FY05	FY04
Amortisation of goodwill	-	655
Exceptional items	(149)	(2,541)
Adjustment to goodwill	333	-
Belgacom's contribution		223
Tax credit for Optus' tax losses	(381)	
Exceptional tax	-	(83)
Exchange difference	(12)	(222)

² Excluding goodwill, exceptionals, Belgacom's net contribution and FX on interco loan

Group Q4 FY05: underlying NPAT S\$881m – up 40%

50% underlying EPS growth – including S\$149m deferred tax benefit

	3 months,	3 months	% increase/
Statutory results S\$m	to Mar 05	to Mar 04	(decrease)
Operating revenue	3,247	3,164	3%
Operational EBITDA	1,198	1,107	8%
Operational EBITDA margin	36.9%	35.0%	N/M
Associates - excluding Belgacom and El	317	268	18%
EBITDA ¹	1,606	1,557	3%
NPAT	1,043	1,961	(47%)
NPAT – underlying²	881	632	40%
Earnings per share – underlying²	5.3 cents	3.5 cents	50%

¹ Operational EBITDA+IDA compensation+share of results of associates



- For the fourth quarter Group underlying earnings increased by 40% to \$881m.
- Underlying earnings per share growth was 50% reflecting a 7% decline in average shares on issue.
- This includes a S\$149 million deferred tax benefit relating to Australian tax deductions on interest expense incurred for the Optus acquisition.
- Compared to the same quarter a year ago both the Indonesian Rupiah and Australian dollar were weaker.
- The net impact of currency movements was to cause a slight reduction in fourth quarter underlying growth

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- Underlying earnings exclude non-recurring items as explained on page 3 of our MD&A.
- In the fourth quarter we reported exceptional gains exceeding S\$100m arising from property) disposals and Intelsat offset by the accounting impact of Globe buyback.
- We also recognised an exceptional credit relating to Optus tax losses that existed before the acquisition by SingTel.
- · Accordingly there is an offsetting reduction in the carrying value of Optus goodwill

Note: Impact of FX on underlying earnings -Q4 FY05

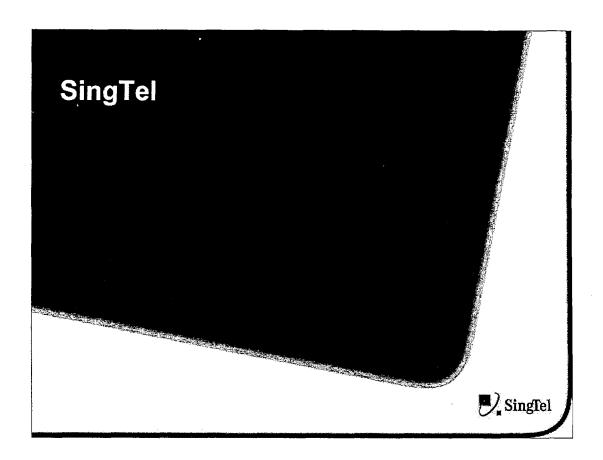
- A\$1.27 2% weaker (vs A\$1.30 for Q4FY04)
- All of the regional currencies weakened with the exception of the Indian Rupee which was stable.
- Based on constant FX rate underlying earnings growth would be 43% (instead of 40% based on actual FX rate)

NPAT Adjustments.	Q4 FY05	Q4 FY04
Amortisation of goodwill	_	166
Exceptional items	(108)	(1,673)
Adjustment to goodwill	333	. <u> </u>
Belgacom's contribution	_	261
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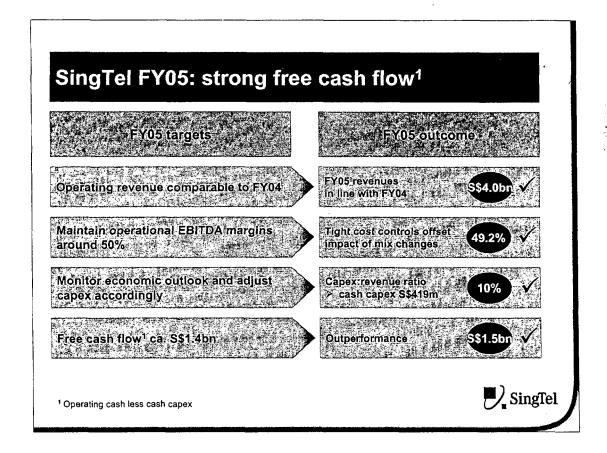
Underlying NPAT growth at Q4

- Reported = 40%
- Excl S\$149m tax credit = 16%

² Excluding goodwill, exceptionals, Belgacom's net contribution and FX on interco loan



• Now we'll take a look at the performance – of each part of the Group



- The Singapore business met or exceeded its objectives for the year as a whole.
- Revenues of S\$4bn were in line with the previous year thanks to a top line trend which improved steadily with each quarter's results
- We targeted operational EBITDA margins around 50% and delivered 49% despite the impact of changes to the revenue mix
- Capex was \$419m or 10% of revenue.
- Free cash flow was \$1.5bn.

• To examine trends in more detail - let's look at the most recent quarter.

SingTel Q4 FY05: revenue up 4%

> Margins impacted by seasonal revenue mix

Statutory results S\$m ⊢	3 months to Mar 05	3,months	% change
Operating revenue	1,063	1,025	3.7%
Operating expenses	(582)	(576)	1.0%
Operational EBITDA	488	461	5.8%
Operational EBITDA margin	45.9%	45.0%	
- SingTel ex NCS	54.4%	51.4%	
- NCS (IT services)	11.3%	12.5%	

Full year margins 근 기가 를	12 months to Mar 05	12 months to Mar 04
Operational EBITDA margin	49.2%	49.6%
- SingTel ex NCS	55.8%	55.4%
- NCS (IT services)	12.6%	11.5%



- The fourth quarter shows Singapore top line trends continuing to improve
- Revenues increased by 4% with strong growth in data and IT services.

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- The operational EBITDA margin for the Singapore business as a whole was 46%.
- IT revenues typically have a seasonal peak in the fourth quarter and this dilutes overall margins
- To demonstrate trends in our telecoms business we are now disclosing margins for SingTel excluding NCS – our IT services business
- The telecoms margins was 54% in Q4

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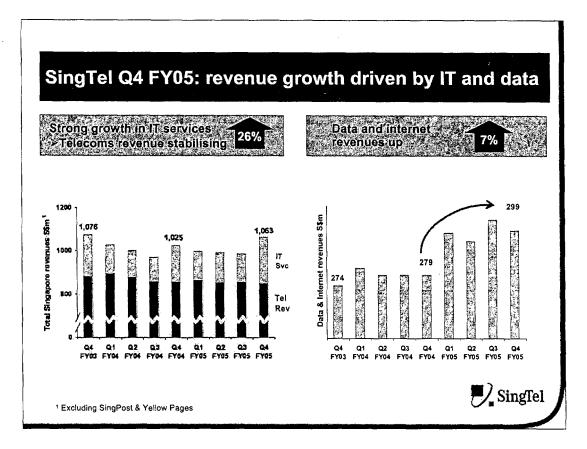
- NCS fourth quarter margins were 11%
- Because of modest capex requirements IT services can generate attractive returns at lower margins than the telecoms business.

- · On a full year basis margins improved for both the telecoms business and IT
- The overall margin declined slightly to 49.2% reflecting a higher proportion of IT services in the revenue mix

	Q4			(J 3	
Margins	FY05	FY04	FY03	FY02	FY05	FY04
Overall	46%	45%	46%	51%	50%	52%
Telecom	54%	51%	53%	54%	56%	57%
ΙΤ	11%	13%	14%	26%	15%	10%

GDP forecast	1Q 2005²	2005
Average of 6 banks ¹		4.1%
Sing Government	2.4%	3 - 5%

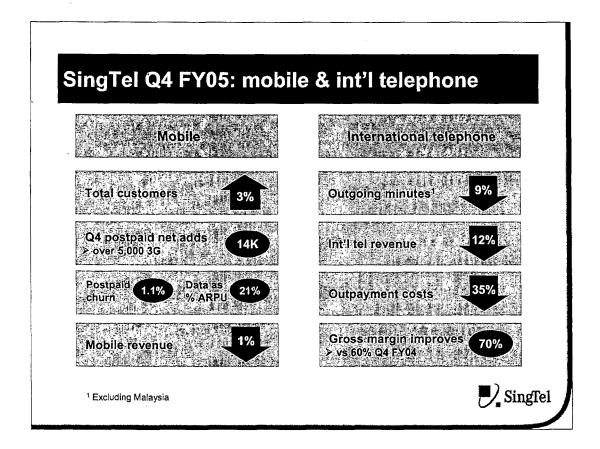
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- OCBC/DBS/Nomura



- Data and IT revenue growth helped drive the improving top line trend.
- The bar graph on the left shows SingTel revenues split between telecoms and IT services
- IT services grew strongly in the fourth quarter by 26%.
- Telecoms revenues continued their stabilising trend.

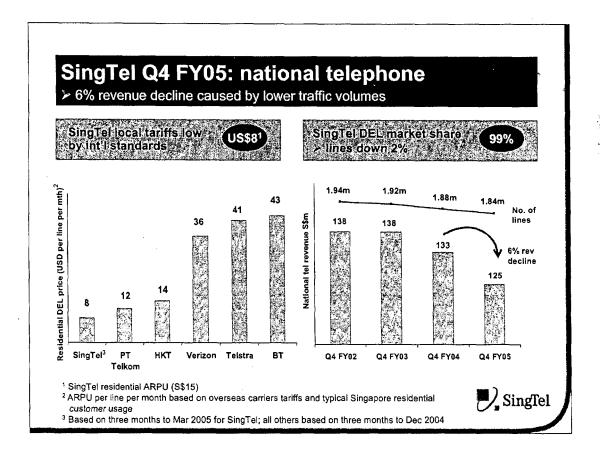
- The graph on the right shows how data and internet revenues have rebounded with a 7% increase in the March quarter
- The main driver was a 19% increase in broadband revenue.
- Local leased circuit revenues were stable and ILC revenues grew by 6%.

SingTel DSL	Mar 04	Jun 04	Sep 04	Dec 04	Mar 05
Share of adds	50%	42%	25%	43%	36%
Mkt share	61%	60%	58%	57%	56%



- In mobile we have been more aggressive to ensure we retain market leadership
- Total customers increased by 3% compared to last year.
- We added 14,000 postpaid customers in the quarter including over 5,000 on our 3G services - stabilising our market share at 43%.
- Churn was 1.1% and data increased to 21% of ARPU both are best-in-class levels
- Overall mobile revenue fell slightly by 1%

- International outgoing minutes fell by 9% driving a 12% decline in revenues
- However we achieved significant reductions in outpayment costs and our gross margins improved to 70%



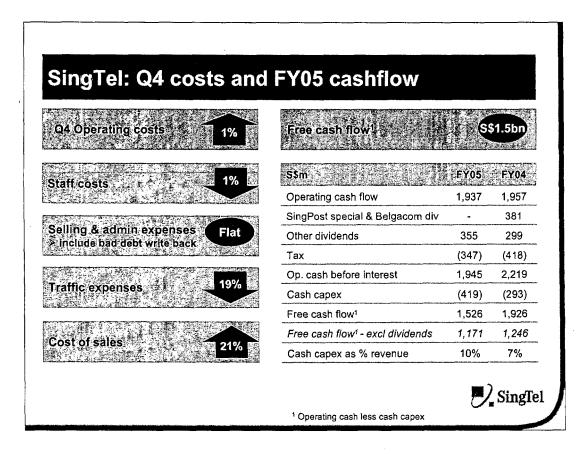
- · National telephone revenues fell 6%
- Increasing use of broadband and mobile has reduced dial up and voice traffic.

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- At just US\$8 per month Singapore local residential tariffs are among the lowest in the world
- With these low tariffs competition is limited and lines declined by just 2% preserving our 99% market share.

Note: this ARPU is "blended" ie residential + business. Graph shows residential ARPU

DEL drivers	Q4FY04	Q4FY05	Change
Internet ('B units)	1.5	08	-49%
Voices ('B units)	4.1	4.2	+3%
Total ('B units)	5.6	5.0	-11%
Traffic Revenue (S\$ m)	39.5	34.4	-13%
Line rental (S\$ m)	48.1	47.2	-2%
DEL working lines ('000)	1,880	1,844	-2%



- We continue to manage costs very carefully.
- In the fourth quarter operating expenses increased by just 1% more slowly than revenue.

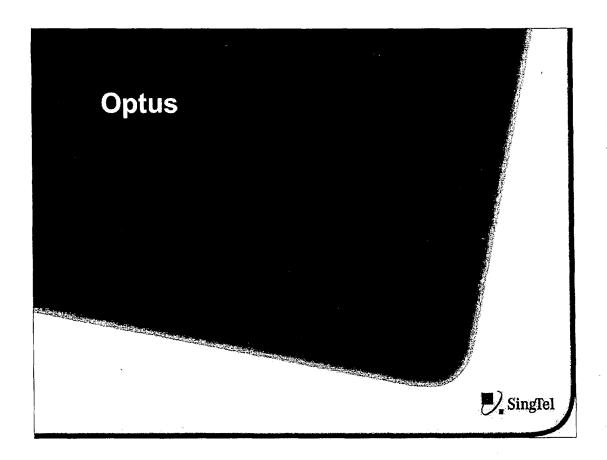
- Staff cost declined by 1%
- Staff numbers fell by 1% and revenue per staff member increased 5%.
- Selling and admin expenses were flat with higher subscriber acquisition and retention costs partially
 offset by a write back for provisions of doubtful debts which are no longer required.
- Traffic expenses decreased by 19% mainly due to lower outpayment rates.
- Cost of sales increased by 21% mainly due to higher IT and equipment revenue.

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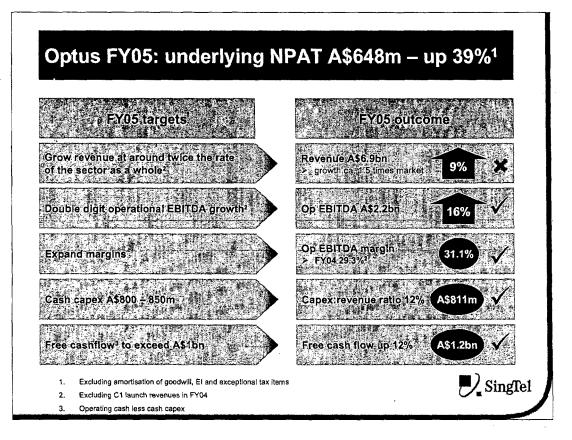
- · Our Singapore business is the cashflow engine for the group
- · The full year free cashflow was S\$1.5bn.
- In the previous year we benefited from a SingPost special dividend and Belgacom dividends together totalling S\$381m.

SingTel margins excluding impact of bad debt write back:

	Q4 FY04	Q4 FY05
Telecom margins	51.4%	54.4%
Bad debt write back	-	S\$14m
Adjusted telecom margins	51.4%	52.7%

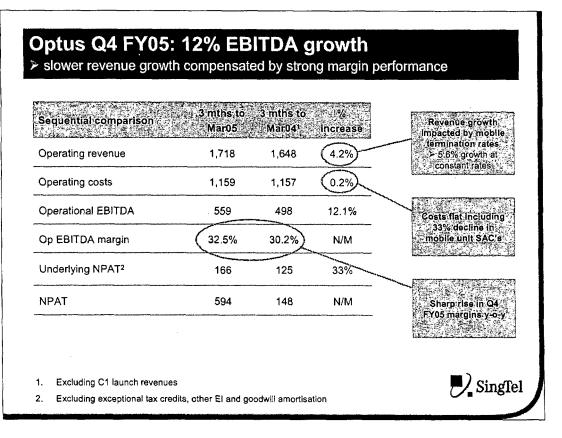


• Let me now turn to Optus



- Optus has met most of the specific financial targets that we set twelve months ago despite intense competition in the mobile and corporate market segments.
- Underlying NPAT was A\$648m up 39%
- Revenues for the year grew by 9% excluding the previous year's C1 defence contract.
- This is around 1.5 times the rate of the market as a whole
- Margins have continued to expand to 31%.
- Operational EBITDA for the year increased by 16% again excluding C1
- Capex was A\$811m in line with recent guidance
- Free cash flow grew by 12% to A\$1.2bn [PAUSE]

Note (Q&A):	Yr to Jun05**	Yr to Jun06
Estimated at	Apr 05	Apr05
Citigroup	4.5%	3.5%
JP Morgan	7%	4.5%*
Merrill Lynch	6.5%	4.3%
Morgan Stanley		3-4%
UBS	5.4%	
Average :	5:9%	4:0%
Telstra (Ziggy – Apr05 'lower end of 4-5% range')	4%	NA
Optus estimate of market growth for FY05 = ca. 6%		
Citigroup estimate at Apr04 for Jun05 growth was 4.5%		
*JP Morgan CAGR to FY08		



- Let's look at the most recent quarter to examine trends in more detail
- · EBITDA continued to grow at double digit levels
- Slower revenue growth was compensated by a strong margin performance

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- Fourth quarter revenue growth slowed to 4%
- · Consistent with guidance given at the third quarter the primary driver was lower mobile termination rates
- If these rates had not been reduced fourth quarter growth would have been higher at 6% [PAUSE]
- We had anticipated this slowdown and kept a tight rein on costs
- Fourth quarter margins rose sharply to 32.5%
- Costs were held flat including a 33% decline in acquisition costs per mobile subscriber

- Inderlying NPAT grew by 33% in the guarter
- , ńis was before recognising over A\$400m of deferred tax assets which arose before the SingTel acquisition and hence at the Group level are offset by adjustments to goodwill

Q&A: Slowdown in ex C1 growth Q3 to Q4 = 3.6% points =				
Mobile				
> termination rates	1.4%			
> prepaid slowdown & caps	0.7%			
	2.1%			
OB/OW				
> OW inc transit	0.7%			
> satellite (C1)	0.5%			
	0.40/			

Optus Q4 FY05: mobile termination rates impact top line

Revenue growth	TO THE OWNER OF THE PARTY OF TH	Q3FY05 vs Q3FY04	Reasons for slower Q4 FY05 revenue growth
Optus total	4.2%	7.8%	• 1.4% points of overall slowdown driven by mobile termination rates
excl. reduction in termination rates	5.6%	7.8%	Conservative accounting using 14% rate reduction proposed by ACCC
Mobile revenue	6.9%	10.9%	2.6% points of mobile slowdown driven by lower termination rates Impact of caps on post paid ARPU Slower prepaid subscriber growth
OB/OW revenue	1.1%	7.6%	Voice impacted by price pressures and fewer business days One-off slowdown in satellite growth Wholesale impacted by completion of low margin business
СММ	0.3%	-0.1%	Trends broadly consistent with Q3

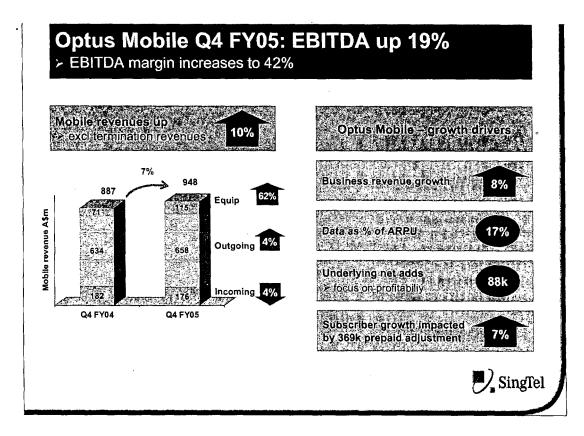


- Optus revenue growth slowed from 8% to 4% in the fourth quarter
- While this slowdown is disappointing it was driven by identifiable market and company specific factors most of which had been flagged in earlier preiods

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- The 14% rate reduction in lower mobile termination rates caused a 1.4% decline in Optus total revenues
- We have accounted for incoming revenues on a conservative basis using the lower terminating rates proposed by the regulator

- Also impacting mobile but to a lesser extent were the impact of capped plans on postpaid ARPU - and a slowdown in prepaid growth
- Underlying net adds in the fourth quarter were lower than the same period last year **[PAUSE]**
- In Optus Business and Wholesale voice revenues were impacted by price pressures and fewer business days than the same quarter last year
- Satellite revenue growth slowed since the fourth quarter last year had the full benefit of C1 revenues
- Finally Wholesale revenues declined impacted by the completion of some low margin domestic transit business



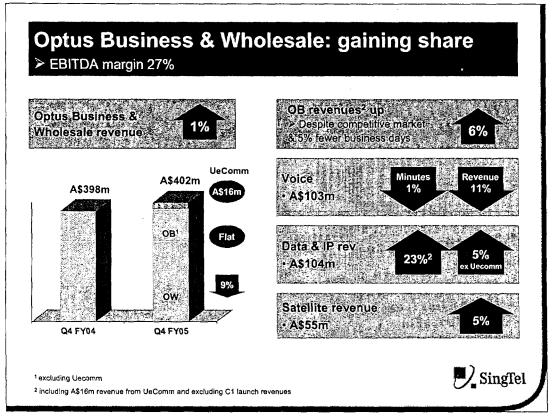
- · Optus Mobile delivered 19% EBITDA growth in the quarter
- · Margins improved to 42% including the impact of lower subscriber acquisition costs
- The majority of SACs relate to postpaid where we reduced subsidies on traditional plans and benefited from the lower subsidies on capped plans

- Mobile outgoing and equipment revenues grew by 10%
- Incoming revenue declined by 4% and reduced overall mobile revenue growth to 7% [PAUSE]
- · Optus Mobile is using three strategies to drive growth
- Firstly by growing share in the business mobile market with revenues up 8%
- · Secondly Optus is stimulating data revenues which grew to 17% of ARPU
- Last week Optus unveiled its 3G network in Canberra ahead of a commercial launch in major cities later in 2005 [PAUSE]
- · The third strategy is to leverage our traditional strength in the consumer segment
- Competition has been intense and Optus has focused on profitability as opposed to subscriber growth
 \u00e4Underlying net adds of 88,000 were below the same quarter last year
- Including a one off adjustment to the pre-paid base fourth quarter subscriber growth was 7%
- Optus will continue to strike a balance between subscriber growth and profitability in the consumer mobile segment [PAUSE]
- Conditions are challenging in the Australian mobile market but the power of the Optus consumer franchise and the hard won benefits of scale - will drive long term success

Note (Q&A) - JP Morgan estimates (Apr05): 14.6% Mobile mkt growth in Mar05 qtr (vs 7% for Optus)

Telstra Mar05 qtr: mobile outgoing 7.6%; outgoing + equip 7.6%; outgoing + equip + incoming 3.9% (vs 7% for Optus)

Sequential trends	3 Mar 05	12% A	Comment	Dec :	% 5	Sep.	1878 X
Net adds - Optus	88	16%	Underlying pre adjustment	283k	34%	198k	48%
Net adds - Telstra	76	14%	Reported	250k	30%	61k	15%
Net adds - Vodafone	240	44%	Optus estimate (Voda report 24 May)	156k	19%	58k	14%
Net adds - Orange	50	9%	Optus estimate (HTA report not til Aug 05)	40k	5%	27k	7%
F	20	470/	Ontre estimate	100k	12%	70k	17%



- Optus Business and Wholesale continues to gain market share and delivered margins of 27%
- · Overall revenues were modestly positive
- New UeComm revenues were offset by a 9% decline in Wholesale after the completion of some one-off low margin transit business

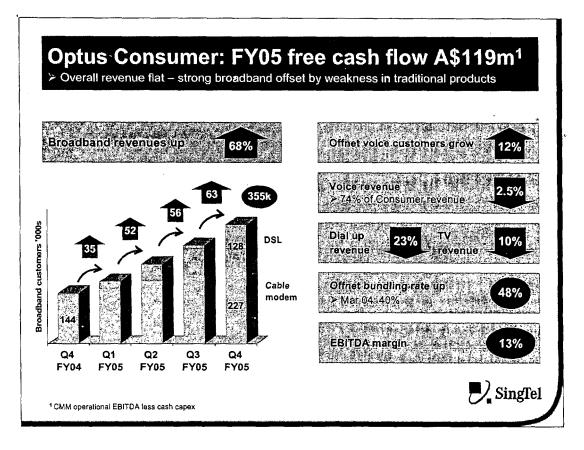
- Including UeComm Optus Business revenues grew by 6% despite intense competition and fewer business days in the guarter than last year
- · OB voice minutes were flat in a quarter where the incumbent's fixed voice minutes declined steeply
- Factoring in price declines revenues fell by 11%
- · Data & IP excluding UeComm grew by 5% again demonstrating growth in market share
- Satellite revenues also increased by 5%
- Previous quarters had benefited from C1 transponder revenues which began in late 2003
- Optus plans to launch the first of its D series satellites in early 2006 which will replace an older platform and provide additional capacity for growth

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- OB continues to win new customers including TOLL and further contracts awarded by the Victorian State govt
- · Given difficult market conditions this is a credible result

Telstra	Mar05 qir	Mar04 qtr	% change	Optus	Mar05 ≇ qtr ¥	Mar04 qtr	change
Specialised data	234	258	-9.3% /	Satellite	55	52	. 5
Internet direct & IP solutions	* 83 *	64	* 30%	Prof.serv	28	22	27
Total proxy for Data & IP	317	322 ;	÷1/6%	†Data & IP ex Ue	- 88	84	5 .
APSTN #1	1,873	1,968	-4.8%	+OB Voice	103	1167	-11
_ Business & Govt^	2,418	2,366	2.2%	Total OB ex C1 a Vecomm.	1274	274	5 4-9
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	Mar05 qtr	Dec04 qtr			
Revenue	15.5	19.8			
EBITDA	NA	7.4			
Margin	NA	37%			
Capex	5.7	5.2			
Uecomm provides br	oadband data servic	es to			

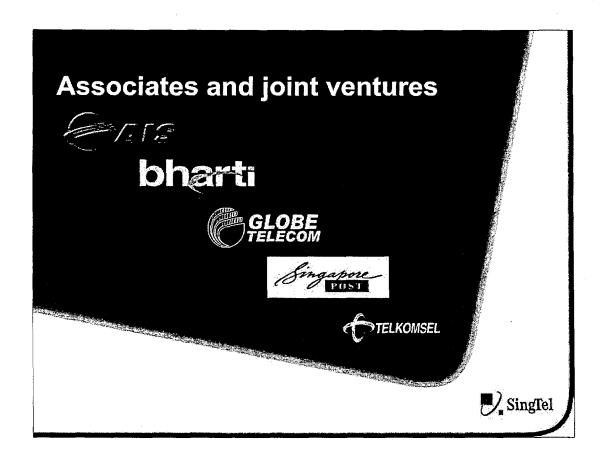


- Optus Consumer generated A\$119m free cash flow for the year as a whole up 17%
- Fourth quarter revenues were flat with broadband growth offset by declines in traditional products
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- Broadband revenues grew 68% thanks to 63,000 new customers
- Retail broadband market share now exceeds 20%

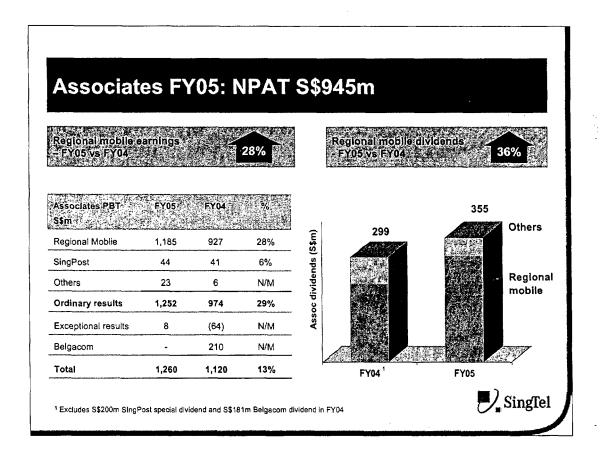
- Offnet customer grew by 12% but after usage declines total fixed voice revenues fell by 2.5%
- Dial up revenues fell 23% impacted by broadband substitution and TV customers also declined
- Starting later in 2005 Optus will have the flexibility to offer Digital TV services

- Bundling rates improved with almost 50% of offnet voice customers taking Optus Internet
- · Optus is steadily building scale in offnet voice and broadband
- Once we complete regulatory negotiations Optus will use ULL to carry more traffic on its own network
- This has the potential to improve offnet margins after an initial phase of start up costs
- The March quarter EBITDA margin was 13%
- * CMM Retail Broadband share 21% market defined as Telstra + Optus HFC

B'band qtrly net adds	, Ma	r05』;	Dec	c04	Se	ρ04	* 1. Ju	in04	≗Ma	r04
('000s)	Adds	Share	Adds	Share	Adds	Share	Adds	/ Share	Adds,	Share
B'band Telstra retail	101	37%	84	39%	109	44%	87	43%	50	41%
B'band Optus retail	63	23%	56	26%	53	21%	35	17%	16	13%
Voice revenues (\$m):) S	*YoY igrowth	+5	YoY ∍growth	, S	YoY⊣. growth		YoY growth	Sign	YoY growth
Telstra PSTN	1,873	-5%	1,977	Na	1,995	-1.0%	1,969	0.7%	1,968	0.0%
0-4 01414	270	-30/2	287	-2%	287	0.7%	286	8%	286.5	12%



Our associates and joint ventures - continue to perform well



- Associates contributed S\$945m to the Group NPAT for the year with strong underlying earnings and dividend growth.
- Regional mobile was the main driver with a 28% increase pre-tax earnings. [PAUSE]
- We received dividends totalling S\$355m
- Regional Mobile generates the majority of our dividends growing at 36% with higher contributions from AIS, Globe and Telkomsel.

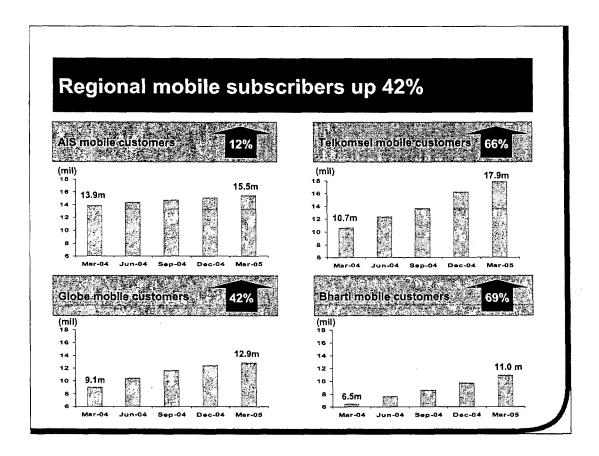
Note: regional mobile contribution of 49% to Group FY05 earnings growth impacted by STAI tax credit

NPAT growth Underlying FY05 vs FY04 (S\$m)

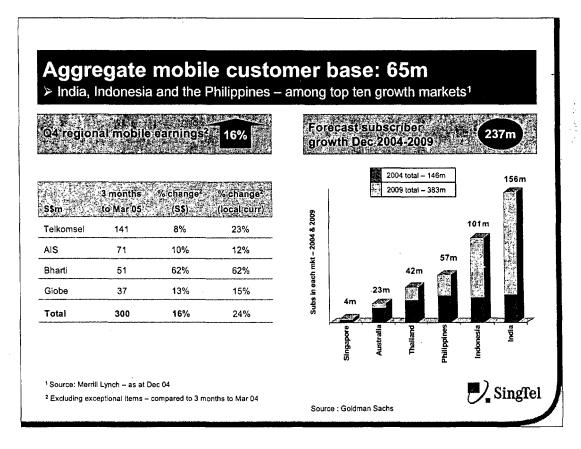
Regional Mobile

264= 49%

543



- The aggregate subscriber base for our regional mobile business grew by 42%
- With penetration in Thailand over 40% AIS subscriber growth has slowed to 12%
- In the Philippines micro prepaid continues to stimulate penetration growth and Globe grew its customer base by 42%
- Rapid growth in the Indonesian market and market share gains helped Telkomsel grow its customer base by 66%
- With 18m subscribers Telkomsel has the largest customer base of all our associates.
- From 6.5m customers a year ago Bharti is catching up rapidly and its customer base is now 11m.
- Bharti now has nationwide coverage and is the market leader in the total Indian wireless market.



- The combined base of SingTel, Optus and the Regional Mobile associates is 65m
- · We added 3 million customers in the March quarter.
- India, Indonesia and the Philippines are among the world's fastest growing mobile markets.*

- Fourth quarter regional mobile earnings increased by 16% despite depreciation of the associates' currencies - against the Singapore dollar.
- Telkomsel increased by 8% or 23% in local currency terms
- Compared to the third quarter Telkomsel earnings declined by 8% reflecting a 3% currency decline and higher depreciation.
- AIS increased by 10% harti's contribution grew by 62% - reflecting rapid growth across all its divisions.
- Contributions from Globe were up 13%.

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- · We see excellent potential for long term growth
- In our markets analysts expect over 230 million new customers over the next five years driven mainly by India and Indonesia.

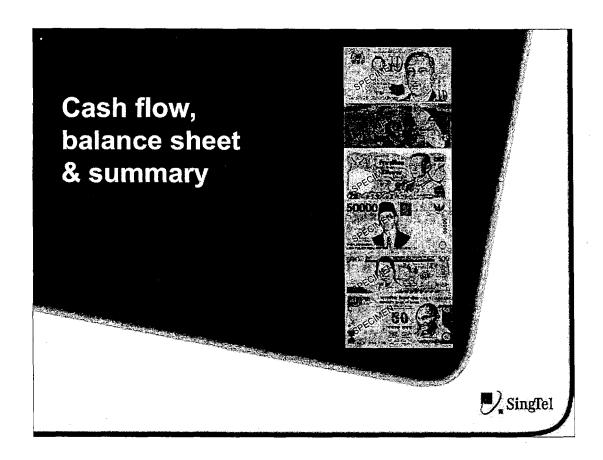
Dec 04 vs Dec 03 - subscriber growth

No, 1 Pakistan +300%

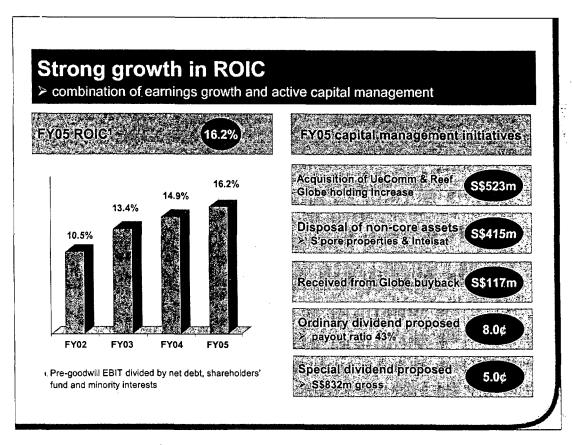
No.2 Nigeria +160%

No. 3 Russia +106%

No. 6 India +70% No. 7 Indonesia +58%



• Group cashflow continues to be strong



- We have improved our return on invested capital to 16%
- This reflects strong earnings growth as well as careful capital management.

- In the past year we invested over S\$500m acquiring UeComm and Reef Networks in Australia and increasing our Globe shareholding to 45%.
- We also divested non-core assets including our stake in IntelSat and over S\$300m of properties in Singapore.
- · This will result in higher rental payments next year.
- We also received over S\$100m from Globe's share buyback in the fourth quarter.

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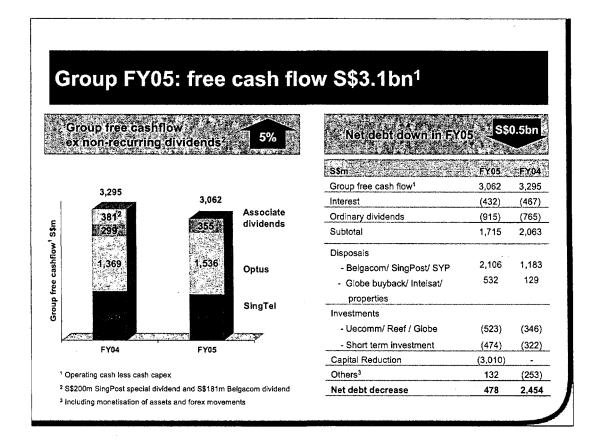
- The ordinary dividend represents 43% of NPAT before exceptional items in line with our dividend policy
-) special dividend pays out the proceeds of asset disposals and the Globe buyback plus additional surplus cash.
- This balances our desire for a more efficient capital structure while retaining flexibility for future acquisitions
- While we continue to review acquisition opportunities there may be short term inefficiencies in our capital structure.

Note: How much M&A before we hit bond ratios?

(S\$ bn)			
Net debt at Mar 05	6.6	6.6	6.6
Special div	0.6	0.6	0.6
M&A spend allowance	2.3	3.8	5.4
Net debt - adjusted	9.5	11.0	12.6
EBITDA FY05	6.3	6.3	6.3
Ratio net debt: EBITDA	1.5	1.75	2.0

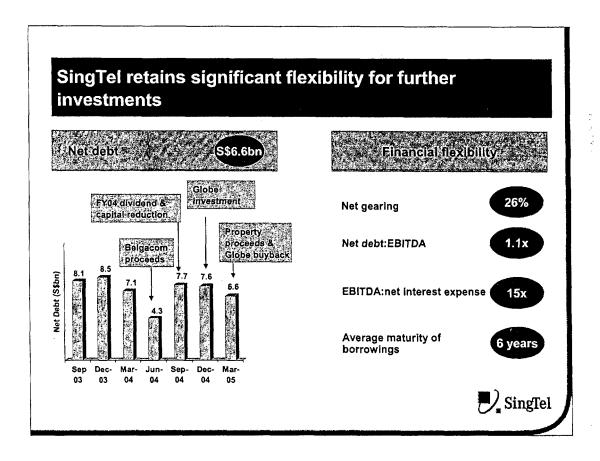
Invesmt	S\$m
Uecomm/Reef	322
Globe to 45%	200
Total	523

Disposals	S\$m
PPE (incl AREIT)	318
Intelsat	96
Subtotal	415
Globe buyback	117
Others	76



- Group free cash flow was S\$3.1bn reflecting strong operating cash flow –
 offset by higher capital expenditure.
- Excluding Belgacom dividends and last year's special dividend from Singapore Post – underlying free cashflow increased by 5%.

- Net debt decreased slightly over the year to S\$6.6bn
- In addition to the capital management initiatives I described earlier during the year we received S\$2.1bn from the Belgacom sale and completed a S\$3bn capital reduction.



- SingTel retains significant flexibility for further investments
- Net debt was S\$6.6bn at March 2005.
- Net debt to total capitalisation was 26%
- Net debt is 1.1 times EBITDA while EBITDA interest cover is 15 times.
- This is comfortably within the leverage commitments made during our 2001 bond offering.
- We also have strong credit ratings from all agencies and the maturity of our borrowings – is six years.

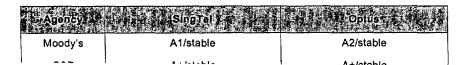
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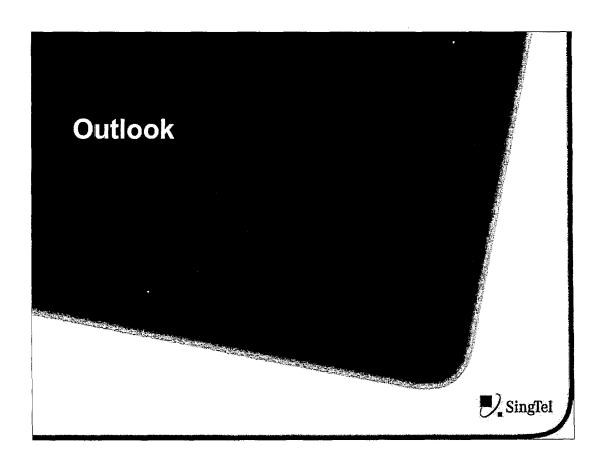
Average maturity of debt is 6.0 years @ end Mar 05

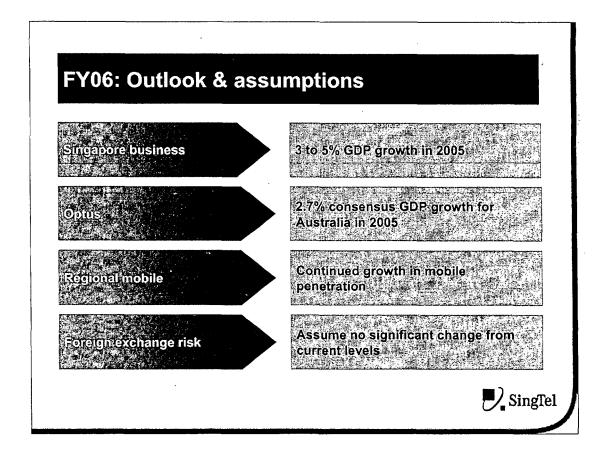
Telcos with higher S&P ratings: NTT/ NTT DoCoMo (AA-), and Belgacom (AA-)

Telcos with same S&P ratings: Telstra and Verizon (all A+)

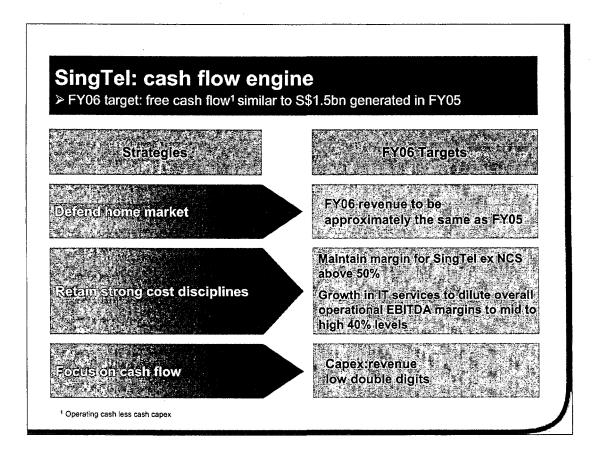
2001 bond commitments: net debt : EBITDA 1.5 – 2.0x EBITDA : net interest 8-10x



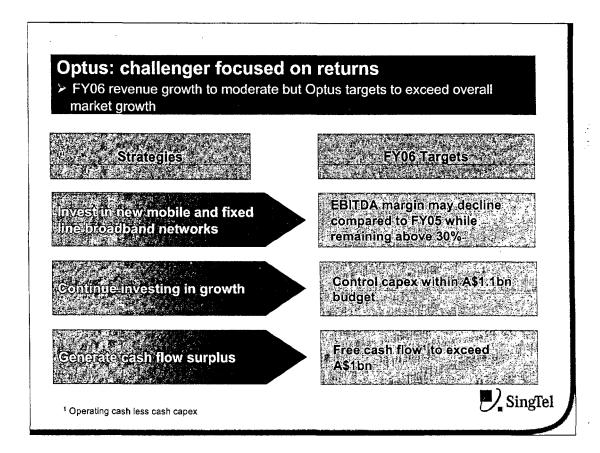




- As in previous years we want to set targets for investors to measure our performance.
- To do this we have made a range of assumptions.
- In Singapore the Government is forecasting 3 to 5% GDP growth for 2005.
- In Australia the economic outlook is robust with consensus forecasts around 3%
- For regional mobile we expect penetration growth to continue
- Our guidance assumes no deterioration in these conditions.



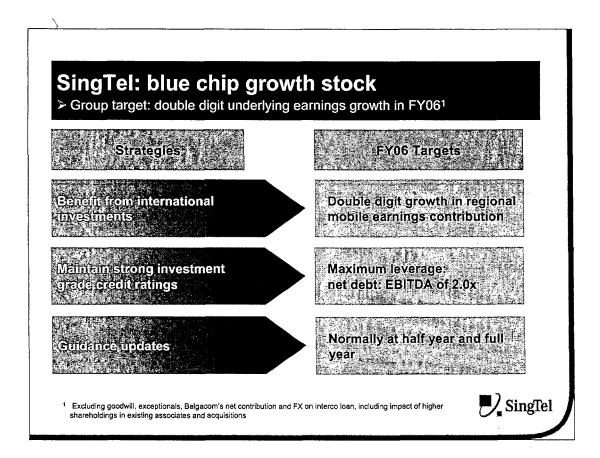
- Our Singapore business will continue to be strongly cash generative.
- SingTel is targeting free cash flow and revenues in line with the year ended March 2005.
- We aim to maintain telecoms margins above 50% although the growth in IT services revenue is expected to dilute overall margins for Singapore – to mid to high 40% levels.
- We will monitor the economic outlook and adjust capex accordingly with a capex to revenue ratio – at low double digit levels.



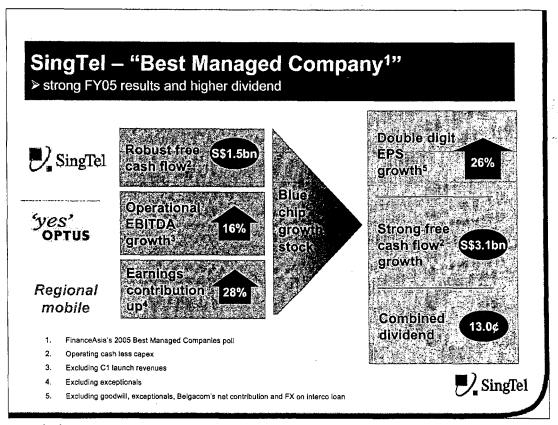
- In the past three years Optus has executed a dramatic turnaround.
- It is now entering a new phase of investment to outperform the market in the medium term.
- While revenue growth is expected to moderate Optus targets to exceed overall market growth – consistent with medium term goals

- To take advantage of structural changes in the Australian telecoms market –
 Optus is investing in new mobile and fixed line broadband networks
- Costs related to these and other projects together with price pressures and other market trends – may impact EBITDA margins
- These may decline while remaining above 30%

- Rollout of new networks will drive capex higher to A\$1.1bn
- But this will be offset by higher operating cash so that free cash flow remains above A\$1bn.



- · SingTel is a blue chip growth investment.
- We have a medium term target of double digit earnings growth.
- We expect to meet this target for the current year including the impact of higher shareholdings in associates – and new acquisitions
- Our international businesses will be a key driver and we expect double digit earnings growth from regional mobile
- We will maintain commitments made to debt investors including limiting our net debt – to twice EBITDA
- We would normally expect to update our guidance again at the half year stage.



- Let me conclude.
- · We have reported strong results for the year.
- We have delivered on the commitments we made to shareholders twelve months ago
- Dividends are up.
- · In Singapore we continue to generate robust cash flows.
- · Optus has delivered double digit EBITDA growth.
- · Regional mobile continues to grow rapidly.

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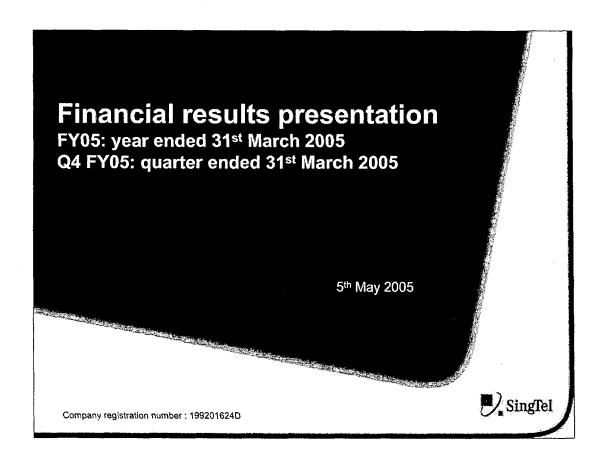
- Our international businesses are driving double digit earnings.
- Cash flow is strong and we are making generous distributions to shareholders.

We are uniquely positioned in our region – as a blue chip telecoms growth stock.

· We are delighted - that this has been recognised by a wide range of awards

Note: YTD Corporate Governance

- FinanceAsia Asia's Best Company Poll Mar 2005 Best managed telecom company in Asia and Best managed company, Best corporate governance, Best IR, Best CFO, Best IR representative & third in Best commitment to strong dividends by a Singaporean Company.
- · AsiaMoney Corporate Governance Poll Dec 2004 Top in Singapore for corporate governance
- •IR Magazine Asia Awards Nov 2004 Grand Prix for Best Overall Investor Relations, Best IR use of the Internet, Best Corporate Governance, Best Board Communications, Best Communications of Shareholder Value, Best IR by a Singaporean Company
- BusinessWeek 17 May 2004 ISS survey of 1,785 non-US companies in Europe and Aisa SingTel scored 98.6% (i.e. better than 98.6% of 1,785 companies and highest ranked in Asia).
- Institutional Investor July 2004
 - · Best IR (buy side votes) of any Asian Telco
 - · Best IR (sell side and buy side votes) of any Singapore company
 - Best CEO (sell side votes) of any Singapore company



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We will now be happy to take your questions.

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Monthly report on quotation of CHESS Units of Foreign Financial Products relating to shares of Singapore Telecommunications Limited on the Australian Stock Exchange Limited

Description

Attached is an announcement made by Singapore Telecommunications Limited to the Australian Stock Exchange Limited ("ASX") today, as required by ASX in connection with its quotation arrangements.

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Appendix 3B

New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and

dates for conversion)

Nam	e of entity		
Sing	gapore Telecommunications Limited		
ABN	I		
	BN 096 701 567		
<u> </u>			
We	(the entity) give ASX the following i	information.	
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	rt 1 - All issues must complete the relevant sections (attach si	heets if there is not enough space	2).
1	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued	CHESS Depositary Inte	erests ("CDIs") issued
2	37	A 21 M - 1 2005	575 751 220
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum	At 31 March 2005 Net transfers*	575,751,338 157,298,770
	number which may be issued	At 29 April 2005	733,050,108
	•	* Transfers between CD	Is and ordinary shares
		listed on the Stock E	Exchange of Singapore
		Exchange Securities ("SGX-ST")	s Trading Limited
3	Principal terms of the +securities (eg,	See item 1 above	
	if options, exercise price and expiry		
	date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates		

Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment

5 Issue price or consideration

Not applicable

6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) Transfers between CDIs and ordinary shares listed on SGX-ST

7 Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates

See item 2 above

8 Number and *class of all
*securities quoted on ASX
(including the securities in clause 2
if applicable)

Number	⁺ Class
733,050,108 (as at 29 April 2005)	CDIs issued over ordinary shares

9 Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
15,910,141,758 (as at 29 April 2005)	Unquoted ordinary shares (including 10,413,676,799 ordinary shares held
	by Temasek Holdings (Private) Limited) which are listed on the SGX-ST
130,550,962 (as at 29 April 2005)	Singapore Telecom Share Option Scheme 1999 Options

10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	Same as for other issued ordinary shares
Part	2 - Bonus issue or pro	o rata issue
11	Is security holder approval required?	
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	
15	*Record date to determine entitlements	
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	·
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	r
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt o acceptances or renunciations	f
20	Names of any underwriters	
21	Amount of any underwriting fee o commission	r

Appendix 3B New issue announcement

22	Names of any brokers to the issue	
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders	
25	If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?	٠,
31	How do *security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	
33	⁺ Despatch date	

		QUOTATION OI SECURITIES omplete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities
34	Type of tick o	of securities ne)
(a)		Securities described in Part 1 (item 2)
(b)		All other securities
·		Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities
Enti	ties th	at have ticked box 34(a)
Addit	tional s	ecurities forming a new class of securities
Tick to docum		e you are providing the information or
35		If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders
36		If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over
37		A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities
Enti	ties th	at have ticked box 34(b)
38		per of securities for which ation is sought
39	Class quota	of *securities for which tion is sought

40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
41	Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period (if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)		
42	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38)	Number	†Class

Quotation agreement

- ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the *securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the *securities to be quoted, it has been provided at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the *securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before *quotation of the *securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here: Date: 4 May 2005

Print name: Chan Su Shan (Ms)
Company Secretary

SINGAPORE TELECOMMUNICATIONS LIMITED ARBN 096701567

Top 20 holders of CUFS HELD IN SGT (1:1)

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Rank Name	Units	% of CUFS
1 WESTPAC CUSTODIAN NOMINEES LIMITED 50 PITT STREET SYDNEY NSW	128,755,293	17.56
2 J P MORGAN NOMINEES AUSTRALIA LIMITED LOCKED BAG 7 ROYAL EXCHANGE NSW	86,717,346	11.83
3 NATIONAL NOMINEES LIMITED GPO BOX. 1406M MELBOURNE VIC	79,034,068	10.78
4 RBC GLOBAL SERVICES AUSTRALIA NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <pipooled a="" c=""> GPO BOX 5430 SYDNEY NSW</pipooled>	47,019,032	6.41
5 COGENT NOMINEES PTY LIMITED PO BOX R209 ROYAL EXCHANGE NSW	27,248,040	3.72
6 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <cfs a="" c="" fnd="" imputation="" wsle=""> GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC</cfs>	22,037,753	3.01
7 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC	18,358,088	2.50
8 ANZ NOMINEES LIMITED GPO BOX 2842AA MELBOURNE VIC	17,574,423	2.40
9 UBS NOMINEES PTY LTD <prime a="" broking="" c=""> LEVEL 25 1 FARRER PLACE GOVERNOR PHILLIP TOWER SYDNEY NSW</prime>	17,258,926	2.35
10 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <cfs a="" aust="" c="" fnd="" share="" wsle=""> GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC</cfs>	17,172,396	2.34
11 WESTPAC FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED C/- WESTPAC CUSTODIAN NOMINEES LIMITED 50 PITT STREET SYDNEY NSW	15,384,513	2.10
12 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <cfs a="" c="" fund="" imputation=""> GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC</cfs>	14,468,947	1.97
13 IAG NOMINEES PTY LIMITED LEVEL 8 388 GEORGE STREET SYDNEY NSW	13,217,947	1.80
14 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <cfs 452="" a="" aust="" c="" share="" wsle=""> GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC</cfs>	12,727,313	1.74
15 AMP LIFE LIMITED PO BOX R209 ROYAL EXCHANGE NSW	12,244,379	1.67
16 CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED <cfs a="" c="" industrial="" shr="" wsle=""> GPO BOX 764G MELBOURNE VIC</cfs>	12,075,410	1.65
17 SUNCORP CUSTODIAN SERVICES PTY LIMITED <aet> GPO BOX 519 BRISBANE QLD</aet>	10,212,600	1.39
18 EQUIPART NOMINEES PTY LTD LEVEL 41 120 COLLINS STREET MELBOURNE VIC	7,876,638	1.07
19 PSS BOARD C/O J P MORGAN NOMINEES AUSTRALIA LIMITED LOCKED BAG 7 ROYAL EXCHANGE NSW	7,301,980	1.00
20 WESTPAC LIFÉ INSURANCE SERVICES LIMITED C/- WESTPAC CUSTODIAN NOMINEES LIMITED 50 PITT STREET SYDNEY NSW	7,296,932	1.00
Total	573,982,024	78.29

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Media Release

4 May 2005

OptusNet broadband surpasses 350,000 subscribers with record quarter result

Optus today announced it has surged past 350,000 broadband subscribers, adding a record 63,000 subscribers in the last quarter and 206,000 subscribers for the year.

After four consecutive quarters of incremental growth, Optus' net subscribers increased by 270 per cent in the last quarter compared to the same quarter in 2004.

"This has been the most outstanding quarter of growth for OptusNet broadband and its success stems from the increasing strength of the company's bundling strategy which now sees more than 95 per cent of OptusNet DSL customers taking up multiple Optus products," Allen Lew, Managing Director, Optus Consumer said.

Optus triggered a turning point in the broadband industry when it entered the DSL market in early 2004. The competitive price points introduced then have seen Optus' broadband subscriber numbers more than double in the last twelve months.

"With such impressive year on year growth, Optus will continue to capture market share from competitors through simple yet differentiated plans that provide clear savings and value to customers. Our strategy is clearly working and we expect this momentum to continue through 2005," Mr Lew said.

"With the trend across our industry for consumer fixed line voice revenue to be flat to declining, broadband revenue is key to the future of integrated telcos like Optus," he said.

Optus has launched an aggressive broadband advertising campaign this week.

The company will announce its fourth quarter results as at March 31, 2005 this Thursday.

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News Release

SingTel's regional mobile subscriber base increases to almost 65 million

Year-on-year growth of 37 per cent

Singapore, 3 May 2005 — Singapore Telecommunications Limited (SingTel) today announced that its aggregate mobile subscriber base in the region has increased to almost 65 million as at 31 March 2005.

The combined mobile subscriber base of SingTel, SingTel Optus and the Group's four regional associates grew 37 per cent from about 47 million a year ago. On a proportionate basis, SingTel's subscriber base in the six markets – Australia, India, Indonesia, the Philippines, Singapore and Thailand – increased 34 per cent from a year ago to about 26 million.

SingTel's four Asian mobile associates – Advanced Info Service, Bharti, Globe and Telkomsel – all posted strong subscriber growth year-on-year, ranging from 12 to 69 per cent. Their combined subscriber base grew 42 per cent to 57 million.

For the year, SingTel Optus increased its mobile customer base to 5.9 million. In this quarter, the prepaid churn rate has been affected by the introduction of a 60-day recharge expiry period. This has resulted in a one-time reduction of 369,000 prepaid customers.

In Singapore, SingTel increased its subscriber base to almost 1.6 million in a highly saturated mobile market with over 90 per cent penetration. During the quarter, SingTel signed up more than 20,000 additional customers.

More details of the market and financial performance of the six mobile operations will be available when SingTel announces its results for the quarter ended 31 March 2005 on 5 May 2005.

At a glance

	Aggregate Subscriber Base (million)			SingTel's Proportionate Subscriber Base (million)		
	Mar 05	Dec 04	Mar 04	Mar 05	Dec 04	Mar 04
Optus	5.92	6.20	5.55	5.92	6.20	5.55
SingTel	1.57	1.54	1.52	1.57	1.54	1.52
SingTel's regional associates	57.32	53.82	40.25	18.44	17.35	12.25
Total	64.81	61.56	47.32	25.93	25.09	19.32



About SingTel

SingTel, Asia's leading communications group, is reaping the benefits of an international expansion strategy which has been successfully developed over the last 15 years. With significant operations in Singapore and Australia (through wholly-owned subsidiary SingTel Optus), the Group provides a comprehensive portfolio of services that include voice and data services over fixed, wireless and Internet platforms.

SingTel Optus is a leading Australian integrated communications company. Since commencing operations in 1992, Optus has invested more than A\$7 billion in the construction of fixed, mobile and satellite networks. Optus' mobile business unit has captured around one third of the total Australian GSM mobile market.

SingTel is also a strategic investor in four of the region's most successful mobile operations. It has a 21.5 per cent stake in Advanced Info Service (AIS), Thailand's largest mobile operator. In India, the Group has a 28.5 per cent effective interest in Bharti Tele-Ventures, the country's largest GSM operator. One of SingTel's earliest investments in the region is Globe Telecom in the Philippines. Today, it has a 44.6 per cent stake in the company. SingTel has a 35.0 per cent stake in Indonesia's largest mobile operator, Telkomsel.

The SingTel Group had a turnover of S\$12.0 billion (US\$7.17.billion) and net profit after tax of S\$4.49 billion (US\$2.68 billion) for the year ended 31 March 2004. For the year, AIS, Bharti, Globe and Telkomsel contributed S\$927 million in pre-tax earnings (excluding exceptional items) to the Group. The four associates also contributed S\$223 million in dividends for the year. More information can be found @ www.singtel.com.

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Media Release

2 May 2005

Optus steadily winning large business contracts

Optus announced today it had increased its portfolio of corporate and government clients over the 2004/05 financial year.

The deals Optus executed strengthened its position as one of Australia's leading telecommunications providers to the corporate and government sectors and a major challenger to the incumbent.

New contract wins and major resigns for Optus Business over the last 12 months have included: IBM, the Health Insurance Commission, Hills Industries, Queensland Department of Transport, St George Bank, Suncorp-Metway, Affinity Health, Fosters, Air Services Australia, WA Government, NSW Health, BP, Toll Holdings, PMP, Medibank, CSC, Mayne, Nestle and components of Tranche 1 and 2 of the Victorian Government's TPAMS project.

John Simon, Acting Managing Director of Optus Business, said the number of organisations using Optus services was significant.

"These wins demonstrate our innovative approach to providing converged solutions and greater network performance to our customers – we are not just competing on price," Mr Simon said.

"Also, approximately 50 percent of our new business wins are managed services offerings - highlighting that we are getting significant traction in the services market."

Mr Simon said trends in Optus Business continued to be negative revenue growth in voice telephony offset by growth in data and IP and managed and professional service. This was seen in Optus' Q3 results announcement and was consistent with industry trends.

"Our customers have a range of business interests: they want access to quality networks and expect high levels of customer service. That is why we conducted a customer satisfaction survey throughout the year to assess our ability to deliver these – the survey indicated we are achieving both of these at a very high level," he said.

"We are also expecting the customer experience to enhance following our organizational realignment which kicks off in May. Optus Business will be expanding to include business mobile sales and marketing capabilities giving us greater opportunities to develop and deliver a truly integrated fixed and mobile proposition to our business customers."

Note to Editor:

- Optus fourth quarter results are for January to March 2005.
- The SingTel Group's full year financial results will be announced on Thursday, 5 May 2005.

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